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In re Application of:

Shuji FUJII

Group Art Unit: 2831

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Examiner: Jinhee J. Lee

For: POLYMER POST INSULATOR APPARATUS

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- [] No additional fee is required.

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Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable)				\$360.00	\$0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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In response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2004
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